COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF BEEP ALERT OF

KENTUCKY, INC. POR A CERTIFICATE

OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND

NECESSITY TO CONSTRUCT FACILITIES

IN MADISON COUNTY, KENTUCKY AND

TO EXPAND ITS SERVICE AREA

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ORDER

On July 8, 1986, Beep Alert of Kentucky, Inc., ("Beep Alert") filed its application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to construct facilities and to expand its service area in Madison County, Kentucky. Beep Alert is presently authorized to provide radio common carrier tone and voice paging services in Fayette and Franklin counties, Kentucky.

On July 22, 1986, letters were sent to authorized competitors in the affected counties, notifying them of Beep Alert's application. No response was received.

On September 11, 1986, the Commission ordered that additional information be filed. This information was filed on September 26, 1986.

The Commission, after consideration of the application and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that:

1. There is a public need for the service since expansion will provide wider area coverage for existing subscribers as well as enable new customers to subscribe to the service.

2. Since Beep Alert is already in the business of providing radio paging services, it has demonstrated its technical and financial ability to provide such a service.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Beep Alert be and it hereby is granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity to expand its coverage to include Madison County, Kentucky.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 14th day of November, 1986.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST:

Executive Director